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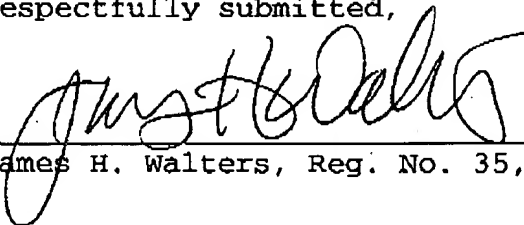
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Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

Amendments are presented herein to incorporate claim 4 into claim 1 and to adjust dependencies of other claims 5 and 6 so as to not depend on canceled claim 4. It is noted that the amendment previously filed but not entered is to be entered prior to the above-noted amendments.

In view of the above amendments, applicants respectfully submit that the application is allowable and notice thereof is respectfully solicited. The Examiner is asked to contact applicants' attorney at 503-224-0115 if there are any questions.

Respectfully submitted,


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